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<b>REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL</b>  Address to: Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	<b>Application Number</b>	10/009,888
	<b>Filing Date</b>	May 29, 2002
	<b>First Named Inventor</b>	Edward E. Williams
	<b>Art Unit</b>	1723
	<b>Examiner Name</b>	T. Cecil
	<b>Attorney Docket Number</b>	4338.1US (194-15537-WO-US)

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(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).

ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_

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i. ☒ Amendment/Reply

ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_

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b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_

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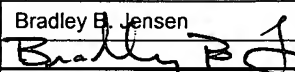
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**In re Application of:**

Edward E. Williams

**Serial No.:** 10/009,888

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**For:** SEQUENTIAL DININFECTANT  
TREATMENT FOR WASTE WATER

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The following amendments and remarks are filed in response to the Examiner's remarks in the Final Office Action mailed January 12, 2004 and subsequent Advisory Action mailed April 1, 2004. The three-month shortened statutory period for response to the Final Office Action expires on April 12, 2004.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.